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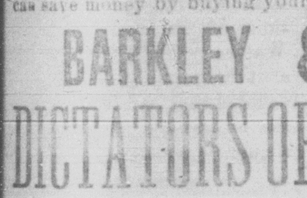

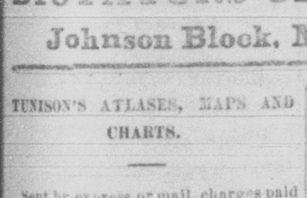

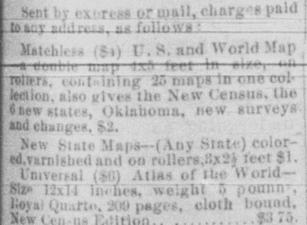

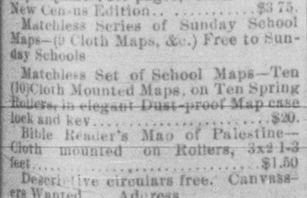

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W. R. COLE INTERVIEWED

Respecting the Action of the Executive Committee.

Dallas News, Oct. 11, 1891.

Mr. W. R. Cole, the member of the Dallas county democratic executive committee, who was requested by that body to resign because of his sub-treasury convictions, was in the city yesterday and was interviewed as follows by a News reporter:

"Had you, previous to the meeting on Monday, received any notice or intimation that action with reference to yourself was contemplated in the call issued by the chairman of the committee?"

"None direct. Some time before the meeting the Garland News suggested that the democratic executive committee should offer a certain member who was an ardent advocate of the sub treasury scheme an opportunity to resign. Two or three days previous to the meeting I called upon the chairman and inquired of him as to the object of the call. He stated that it was to arrange for the nomination of a candidate for floater and to organize the democracy of Dallas county, and that he knew of nothing further. On my way to the meeting a gentleman called to me and asked if I was aware that they were going to turn me out of the committee. I answered that I had seen a hint to that effect in Saturday's Dallas News, but that there could be nothing in it, or the chairman would have informed me of the fact. The meeting was organized before my arrival; so that I did not hear the chairman state the object of the call, but I was informed that among other things he announced that it was to 'purge the committee,' that it had been stated that a member of the committee was carrying water on both shoulders, and 'this is a matter comprehended in the call.' Under the circumstances I had taken no counsel as to the proper course to pursue in the emergency."

"Were you the only adherent to the sub treasury on the committee?"

"No; Mr. R. N. Daniel is a member of the alliance, and I am informed he indorses the scheme. I have met him several times in the county alliance and have never known of his raising any objection to the measure.

"Would he have been allowed a seat in the county alliance if he had opposed the sub-treasury doctrine?"

"Certainly. A man's opinion respecting the sub-treasury is no test of membership. No man has ever been expelled or rejected from a state, county or sub-alliance on account of his refusal to indorse the sub treasury. Mr. Daniel is one of the oldest and I have always regarded him as one of the most active and aggressive members in our county."

"How, then, do you account for the fact that you were especially designated at the meeting as the one referred to?"

"I think it was on account of my having made some efforts to discharge the duties pertaining to the office of county lecturer to which I was elected last spring. There may have been some other motives more of a personal nature on the part of a few, but this is only conjecture."

"It has been suggested that you are an extremist, at least, that you are so regarded by some of the alliance brotherhood. How about it?

"The very reverse of this is true in such an extent that many of them doubted my loyalty to the alliance. The president of the state alliance said that I was regarded as the most conservative member at the last session of that body."

"To come to the point, do you really consider that you have a right as a democrat to a place on the committee?"

"As to that, I can only answer for several years I have voted the straight democratic ticket, clear through, and have frequently importuned some of my neighbors who had become disaffected to stay with the old party, and I challenge any man to say he has heard me speak in the least disrespectfully of the democratic party in any of the talks I have made. It strikes me as evident that it is not myself personally, but the alliance that is obnoxious to the committee. Objection to my individual sub treasury proclivities is too thin a disguise to hide the animus of their action, for it is well known, since the recent state gathering, that the [illegible] is a body, favorable to the sub-treasury and that the sub-treasury doctrince is an important element in the faith."

"Have you any theory as to the source from which the inspiration came prompting the act of the committee?

"I can hardly say I have, but I am inclined to the opinion that in a general way it came from a pretty high source. You see, that monkey and catspaw arrangement of last year failed to pan out to the satisfaction of the alliance and there is ground for a suspicion that other parties stand ready to undertake the monkey part in a new combination. But I have just the least bit of a suspicion that the chief inspiration emanated from a Machiavelism influence in the rear of a certain editorial tripod several miles this side of Austin."

"Do you think of appealing from the action of the committee?"

"No; I have no time. Besides, if the secretary and the two other members who opposed the action are satisfied to let the matter rest, I am. It may be possible that the leading motive prompting the action was to inflict an injury somewhere. Evidently, whether so intended or not, some one got hurt in the transaction; and on my part there is a perfect willingness that the intelligent democracy of Dallas county should locate the injured party."

Alliance Men, Go.

W. R. Cole, a member of the democratic executive committee of Dallas county, has been asked to step down and out because of his alliance and sub treasury preaching. Democrats will no longer submit to the party being controlled by Alliance men who meet in secret with republicans and some heads of every description to lay plans for the defeat of the democratic party. It is a bright idea for the alliance to kick out of its order all who differ with Peffer and Macune, and then stand up and say, "We are democrats."—McKinney Enquirer.

The above article is significant of two things. 1st. Every man who adheres to democracy must be a submissive, passive, and obedient to the bosses, or insert his head and step down and out. The condition of the political arnea has come to a pretty pass when free men—patriotic citizens—are denied the right of opinion, and their interpretation of what true democracy is. Mr. Cole was asked to step down and out, not because he was not a democrat, but because he adhered to a principle, which if put in active operation would strike a death blow to the monopolistic schemes that are sucking the financial life blood out of our nation—a principle Thomas Jefferson advocated. He said: "The issuing power (of money) should be taken from the banks and restored to the government and the people, to whom it properly belongs." This is Jefferson's expression regarding a democratic principle, which Mr. Cole had the courage, in the face of party dictation, to advocate, and for this, he is ordered to leave a responsible position in the democratic party. 2nd. The above extract is significant of the fact that the old party (we mean the ma[illegible] politicians, who control the party in the interest of monopolists) is afraid of the principles of the alliance as the devil is of cold water. If the democratic party stands upon Jeffersonian principles, as it loudly claims, why "the name of reason," does it not get upon those principles, Jefferson taught as above quoted from him, and the sub-treasury plan is in line with Mr. Jefferson's views. The father of democracy also teaches, "I believe that banking institutions are more dangerous to our liberties than standing armies." Then, why did Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, who has been regarded as a leader in the party, say, in a speech in the United States senate: "I desire to state with great distinctness that I am not making war upon * * * * banks. I voted to renew their charters, to repeal all taxes on their capital and deposits" and if necessary will vote to "repeal all tax on their circulation." Why, in the face of Jeffersonian declarations above quoted, did Mr. Bayard, who stood almost without a peer as a democratic leader, utter such peculiarly strange Jeffersonian doctrine when he said in a speech in 1880: "I have seen it charged that the democratic party is opposed to national banks (that's right, Mr. Bayard, isn't it? What have you to say about it?) "I am at a loss to know the authority for this. The platform of the party contains no such suggestion, and admits of no such construction, and it is very certain that for the second place on our presidential ticket we have named Wm. H. English, of Indiana, * * * whose management of the affairs of a national bank of which he was president, was conspicuous for its success. This disposes of this charge at least." We have examined every democratic platform since 1804 and find this expression in denunciation of national banks: "0000000000000000000000000000!!!" In the face of Jeffersonian teachings, why is it that democracy (national) follow the very opposite of what they so loudly profess to follow.

Here hinges the great struggle: True democracy, as embodied in the alliance demands on the one hand and monopolistic greed on the other. This necessarily is the issue, and on it the people are to gain a blessed victory, or monopoly will be strengthened in its position to oppress the masses, perpetuate the nefarious financial system, and ultimately wreck this grand nation.

If the alliance were a political party, and struggling on that basis for supremacy, the whole aspect might be changed. True men would find equally as good reason to remain with the party of their fathers as to join any other party. But when the alliance comes on the arena of action it is not as a party, but rising grandly above party ties, party affiliations, party creeds—partyism, its appeals are to any party for the adoption of those grand principles necessary to the perpetuity of a free republic and the abolition of systems that are hanging upon the nation's life like destructive parasites. Hence, if the democratic party has decided to whip men out of their ranks for insisting on the adoption of these principles which they honestly believe to be true, our prediction is, that that party is doomed. Free American citizens abhor slavery in any form and especially the kind of slavery that monopoly is rapidly fastening upon the American people. S. T. I.

Alliance Elevator.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Oct. 10.—The farmers' alliance of Minnesota will build a 1,000,000 bushel elevator here, to be ready for next season's crop. A site will be selected by a commission now here.

An Answer Wanted.

The government of the United States is supposed to be democratic(?) A government in which the majority rule. It is divided into three branches: legislative, executive and judicial. The legislative department is composed of representatives elected by a majority of the qualified voters in each representative district, assisted by a senate chosen by the legislators of the different states, which has concurrent jurisdiction.

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How much power has the people and where does it rest?—Mercury.

Arrested for Homicide.

PALESTINE, Tex., Oct. 9.—Three months ago L. A. Phillips, formerly of this county, returned here from Cooke county, where he has been lately living. His conduct excited the suspicion of Justice J. B. McDonald of Nechesville, who communicated with the sheriff of Cooke county and yesterday received a telegram from the sheriff, stating that Phillips was wanted there for killing a man in Gainesville last January. Judge McDonald and Constable Cooke immediately set out in search of the man and captured him last night in the old town.

A Lively Free-For-All.

BRENHAM, Washington county, Tex., Oct. 11.—Sheriff Teague has returned from Burton with Nelson Banks on a charge of murder. At a negro country dance, seven miles from Burton a free for all started between about fifteen young bucks. Nelson Banks and Ed Hancock undertook to separate the combatants and got into a row themselves. Banks went home, got his gun and returned. Hancock made at him with a bludgeon when he fired, killing Hancock. In the melee Mathew Davis shot a negro named Linscomb in the groin and he will die. George Hynes, a bystander, was also struck with several shot.

Slapped His Sister's Face.

ANNONO, Red River county, Tex., Oct. 11.—Yesterday evening Tom Prewett went to Levy Look's house with a Winchester and told Look he had come to kill him and opened fired. Look got his gun and shot, killing Prewett. They were both negroes on S. R. Stile's plantation, six miles north of here, where the difficulty occurred. The quarrel began at a festival a week ago about Prewett slapping Look's sister.

Infanticide.

SAN ANGELO, Tom Green county, Tex., Oct. 11.—This morning some boys playing on the banks of the North Concho river near town, discovered a bundle wrapped up in a sack, which proved to be the remains of a new born white baby that had been placed there apparently only a few hours before by some unknown party who had crushed in the back part of the child's skull. Officers are trying to locate the guilty persons.

Kentucky's New Constitution

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 9.—Silas Miller, manufacturer, and Walter Evans, lawyer, filed suit to test the validity of the new constitution, which it is charged was changed materially after ratification by the people. The public printer and secretary of state were enjoined from issuing copies.

Found Dead in Bed.

BRENHAM, Tex., Oct. 9.—This morning at Independence, when Mrs. Sarah Eldridge went into the room of her son, J. B. Eldridge, she found him dead in bed. He had been afflicted for quite a while with partial paralysis and this is supposed to be the cause of his death, which occurred some time between midnight and daybreak. He was about 40 years of age and has been a resident of this county nearly all his life.

Alliance Gin.

PARIS, Tex., Oct. 9.—The alliance gin at Fulbright, Red River county, was burned. The gin and contents were entirely destroyed. It was insured for $2,500. The fire originated in the stands while the gin was running.

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They believe in themselves. Isn't it worth a trial. Isn't any trial preferable to catarrh?

Struck it Rich.

HILLSBORO, Tex., Oct. 12.—Charles R Beatty, a Hill county farmer, who long served as a deputy clerk of the county and district courts of both Hill and McLennan counties, has, at a depth of 250 feet, struck an excellent article of crude petroleum on his farm, two and a half miles southeast of Hillsboro, in the valley just east of the mountain. The News reporter, accompanied by Drs. H. W. Dudley, J. T. Harris and W. M. Drake, visited the well today. It is a ten inch well, 250 feet deep, and the fluid raised within 60 feet of the surface. A bucket was lowered and from it was obtained a quantity of the fluid, in all respects as represented by Mr. Beatty. It is coal black in appearance, very thick and burns readily and brilliantly when slightly heated. Considerable interest is being manifested over the discovery, and many seem to think there are "millions in it." Mr. Beatty was today offered $35 per acre for his farm, embracing 160 acres. The well is situated within a half mile of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway company's track, running south from Hillsboro, and the valley in which the discovery was made is several miles in extent. The find was made just beneath a heavy formation of hard limestone rock. The fluid was but a short time rising to its present height in the well. It is now within sixty feet of the surface.

Regular Ticket Defeated.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 9.—The reform democratic ticket was elected in the city exection yesterday over the regular organized democratic ticket by majorities ranging from 1000 to 500. George R. Guild who was elected mayor led the ticker. He is an old confederate soldier. There was no republican ticket as the city is overwhelmingly democratic.

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INDEPENDENCE!

Brass collar politics is waning.

THE Dallas fair opens next Saturday.

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THE collar don't fit on the neck of W. R. Cole of Dallas.

THE Alliance movement is lashing the waves of public thought.

POLITICAL fences are being built with barbed wire, we suppose, to prevent "straddling."

IT IS real amusing to hear old time politicians accusing alliance leaders of being office-seekers.

WE predict there will not be so much cotton raised next year, Hog and hominy will be the farmer's battle cry.

REFORM guns are pouring forth eloquent bombs of argument, that are ripping the sides of the monopolistic ship.

OUR "wild and wooly" contemporaries will please pardon us for conducting our paper and business as we think best.

IF IT were a crime to let debts go unpaid, certain newspaper men who are continually attacking the private business of others, would be in the "soup."

A COUNCIL of Methodists in Washington assembled, have petitioned the commissioners of the world's fair, protesting against the proposed Sunday opening of the same.

A PEACEFUL revolution will be accomplished by the grand forces of education. Every loyal citizen should educate himself and doing thus there are no fears as to the result.

BEFORE the old political parties will ever submit to defeat and domination at the hands of a third party they will unite under articles of copartnership and divide the feed.—Dallas News.

THE sub-treasuryites have smelled a mouse. The action of the Dallas county democratic committee in purging itself of a member whose only offense was sub-treasuryism convinces them that there is limberger cheese in Denmark.—Dallas News.

When the supreme court of Texas shall have destroyed the alien land law, and the state shall have raised the desired amount for the World's fair exhibit, prosperity will once more come to stay with us.—Fort Worth Gazette.

Should the alien land law be destroyed it is evident that "prosperity will once more come to"—the great dragon, the money power. Does the Gazette believe that a pall of hypnotic blindness envelops the minds of the people? Surely not.

☞ Wiseman's for luck.

Sam Jones' crusade in Houston, and the Law and Order league, did do some good after all. Some of the most powerful gamblers in Houston are now in jail, among them a man who is said to be worth a quarter of a million dollars.—GAZETTE.

One day last week a car load of 30,000 pounds cabbage was received at Dallas, via the Santa Fe route, from Iowa. This car load will cost the consumers $1,500, or the value of nearly forty bales of cotton. The cabbages were raised on about forty acres; the cotton on not less than eighty acres; the labor per acre was about the same. "The moral consists in the application."—Farm and Ranch.

The Clarksburgh (Mo.) Crescent says: The best evidence in the world that the subtreasury plan would give relief to the farmer is that the national bankers all oppose the plan. It is safe for the farmer to watch that class of men and act just the reverse of their action in voting. He never votes for the farmer's interest if he can vote against it.

Let the Farmers Alliance and Industrial Union wake up and put on the whole armor in behalf of the people. It is a doctrine that must be pressed to the front, to the end that the old ideas, purposes and policy of partyism may be overthrown peaceably at the ballot box. Bossism has done its work, and it is now for the people to come to the rescue, and secure good government for all.—Alliance (Rogers, Ark.) Sentinel.

The Louisiana state lottery muddle is at fever heat in Louisiana already, and there is no telling what it will be by next April when the election takes place. The anti-lottery men are evidently gaining the fight, and the people of Louisiana are becoming convinced that the great bonus offered by the Louisiana Lottery company comes out of their pockets. We hope Louisiana will succeed in annihilating this dirty octupus. —Reformer.

The Farmers Alliance has a grand and noble mission. Let it not be perverted nor driven back from the line of its duty. That mission is not necessarily the establishment of sub-treasuries, nor any other pet schemes but the education of its members. Financial reform should be its watchword, and it should be ever ready to profit by the wisdom of others as developed in the discussion of questions pertaining thereto. — Farmers (Baltimore, Md.) Alliance Journal.

The idea of a partisan press withholding any favorable Alliance news from the masses in the hope that it will inure to the injury of the organization, is just as mean as it will prove futile. The various state annual meetings as they are being held disclose the fact that the growth of the alliance still continues phenomenal. Thousands of sub alliances and several states have been organized during the past year. The older organizations are increasing in numbers where the material has not all been exhausted. Better still, the membership is daily growing more determined to have at all hazards relief from moneyed oppression.—Milton (W. Va.) Star.

The Farmers and Laborers' Friend (Booneville, Mo.) says: The politicians tell the farmers to economize and not be so extravagant. Suppose the farmers were to economize, buy less machinery and farm implements, furniture, clothing, etc., what would be the result? All the above mentioned articles, and hundreds of others are the product of labor, and if the farmers were to economize, would find no sale; the masters of the wage slave would shut down the factories, throw thousands of men out of employment, their wages would stop and they would go hungry; the great market for consumption of farm products would be destroyed, all on account of the politicians' idea of economy.

Inherited political views are not accepted without an investigation by the maiden voter as they were some years ago. The young man who is about to cast his first vote notes that his father has not laid by enough to secure immunity for his constant toil in his old age; he knows also that his father is not lazy; that he has toiled early and late as long as he can recollect. The question naturally arises, "Why this condition of affairs?" He is going to see where the "rat hole" is located that the fruits of the years' of toil of his father has slowly eked away and thus starve out the political rats by using his ballot as a "chink." The political party that hopes to succeed by appealing to the prejudices of the people is doomed and it will never be missed.—Missouri (Chillicothe) World.

The good work that Harry Tracy has done for the Farmers' alliance will always form a monument high enough to overshadow those who traduce and slander him. Harry Tracy has been one of the most able and efficient workers ever since he gave his whole heart to the cause. His devotion and his efforts have never for a moment lagged, even when for months at a time he has borne his own expenses from the savings of previous labors. Now his logic in behalf of the farmers' cause challenges the world.—Economist.

As there is so much said about the cost to the government to own the railroads we give some figures below so every man can understand for himself. Many of our opposers say it would cost at least ten billion dollars to buy the roads. Now let's see. There are about 160,000 miles of railroad in America. No well informed man will contend that they cost over an average of $20,000 a mile, which would make their cost only $3,200,000,000. The savings that government ownership would give in carrying the mail and reductions in officers salaries and cutting down thousands of useless officers, lawyers, consolidated depots in towns and other matters, to say nothing of reduction in rates, would pay that amount in twenty years. The government could reduce traffic one-half, which added would pay for them in about five years. —The Alliance Vindicator.

The alliance in California has become the wonder of the organization. Its rapid though substantial growth, its quick perception of the aims and purposes of the order, and the readiness with which it has fallen into line and entered the contest with all the vigor, intelligence and determination of the older organizations, is a marvel to all who give it a moment's consideration. The brethren of that great state have set an example worthy of emulation throughout the entire order. California is to-day one of the banner alliance states. Its officers are of the highest rank, vigorous, faithful and intelligent. They have done their work grandly and well, and are entitled to the reward which should follow such action. The alliance press of the state has done a great work and is worthy of all praise. Taken as a whole the alliance of California should have a position in the front rank, among the most important states.—Economist.

Ever and anon some George organ blurts out that it is high time for Barksdale to follow the course hitherto pursued by him on several notable occasions, and withdraw from the senatorial race "to preserve the harmony of the democratic party." Indeed! It doesn't seem to have occurred to these organs that Major Barksdale is the representative of a great principle, held dear by thousands of the truest men of Mississippi, and that his candidacy is not a personal one. Speaking of withdrawing for the sake of harmony, if there is one man above all others in Mississippi who has already made more personal sacrifices for the harmony of democracy than any other, that man is Ethel Barksdale. Why not let somebody else play the withdrawing act for the sake of harmony? Barsdale is opposed to monopolies of all kinds, and he doesn't want a monopoly of the withdrawing business, either. Let "Old Trace Chains" have a chance.—Brookhaven (Miss) Ledger.

THE INDEPENDENT BARK.

The Nebraska democrats will make no nomination for supreme judge, but will vote for the independent candidate to defeat the republican ticket. It is believed that the democratic and independendent vote will defeat the republicans.—Gazette.

The advice given by politicians down here is, "vote either the republican or democratic ticket. The independent voter everywhere is maligned. He receives the slander of politicians of both parties except when he is used to pull the political chestnuts out of the fire.

The partisan press chuckles over the political maneuvering of the Nebraska democrats and then with a feigned attempt as an honest political adviser it cries, "Vote 'er straight," "kick the rascals out," etc. We admire the man of independence—the man who will stand in front of a party of corruption and earnestly protest against its action.

Independence is the strong bark that peacefully floats o'er the ocean of reason. May its flag wave until the last pirate sinks below the heaving billows.

☞ Wiseman the clothier.

The Alliance Advocate (Louisville, Tenn.) says:

Time was when the people were sovereign in this country, but now let a man but express a difference of opinion from those who have set themselves up as dictators of our government, and the old party press unite in branding him as a traitor, a crank, or an anarchist. Time was when the advice of the farmer was sought in the council chambers of the nation, and peace and plenty prevailed in the land; but now the farmer is used merely as a tool to serve the interests of Wall street's hirelings, and his attempts to regain his rightful position are regarded as "dangerous" by the powers that be, and no expense, no intrigue will be spared to defeat the will of the people. Such a condition of things can not last. It is impossible for a republican form of government to exist under rule of moneyed aristocracy. It is but a single step removed from a monarchy, and that step is being shortened with each and every succeeding administration.

Plain Talk.

Judge J. H. Davis, of Sulphur Springs, was struck with a rotten egg while speaking at Sulphur Bluff. The tools of misrule and plutocracy have no argument to bring against the just demands of the people, and therefore, instruct their cowardly, sniveling pimps to such conduct. Such a course is beneath contempt, and the puppies who allow themselves used for such a low purpose are unworthy to associate with common sheep-killing dogs.—Jefferson Jimplecute.

☞ Wiseman for low prices,

Given a Life Sentence.

TEXARKANA, Ark., Oct. 14.—Just two months ago Harry White, colored, while in an intoxicated condition, went to his home in Swampsdale, and found Marion Harris with Amanda Jenkins. White's jealousy became so great as he looked through a window that he lost control of himself, and dashing himself against the only door of the house forced it open, and once inside he drew a large knife and killed the woman. Harris the interloper fled for his life, but was pursued and soon overtaken by the enraged White, who cut him down and literally hacked him to pieces. White was captured shortly afterwards and has been in jail ever since. Today he was tried in the Bowie county district court, found guilty of murder in the first degree and given a life sentence in the penitentiary.

The celebrated Joe Marx forgery case was called for trial in the district court this morning. The defendant's attorneys submitted a motion to quash the indictment, which motion being overruled, they asked for and were granted a continuance until the next term on account of absence of material witnesses.

☞ Wiseman for dry goods.

Paternalism.

Much interest is now being taken in what is termed paternalism. The people are being warned of the baneful effects of paternalism and the implication goes that paternalism is all wrong. Paternalism is for protection. The prime purpose of government is for protection. This involves an intimate acquaintance with the condition and needs of the people. It requires and even demands a strict and thorough consideration of the interest of the people. No paternanilsm; no government; no protection; no prosperity or existence itself. The organized purpose of government is to protect the people in their persons and their property and maintain such conditions as will secure the largest measure of human happiness. The object of the government is to protect the weak by restraining the strong; "equal rights and equal privileges" should be guaranteed to all. This involves incessant paternalism; "eternal vigilence is the price of liberty." Since government is for protection its functions are to determine what are the most efficient means to insure that protection. It is a recognized principle of justice that labor should have its full reward, and that conditions subversive of this principle should be removed, and that whatever stands in the way of justice should have government correction. This correction or supervision of government (paternalism) should be made without any unnecessary drain upon the substance of the people. The right and duty of the general government to furnish something to represent the surplus products of the people as a medium of exchange is recognized and approved by all, and that that representative (money supply) should be ample in volume or quantity to do the business of the country without loss or detriment to the producers of the country, and that a volume of stable currency should increase or decrease according to the demands of trade; in other words, keep pace with the business interests of the country. As money is the representative of the value of products, and as a medium for the exchange of products, it should have volume or quantity adequate to this exchange of products, and have it too without needless delay or cost. Why should not these products themselves be made the basis for such issue of money, or such of them as are of prime necessity and of universal demand, have durable quantities and great uniformity of production; such articles of prime necessity are furnished by the producers and of a nonperishable character, that they may be held until needed for consumption. Why not make these representative products of prime necessity the basis for the issue of money, and that too upon products furnished by that class who compose 44 per cent, or nearly half the population, rather than base the issue of money upon the products of gold and silver mines of an irregular and uncertain quantity, and not at all corresponding to the products of the farm or the needs of commerce or trade, and such basis of issue (gold and silver mines) owned and controlled by 1 per cent of the population? If the issue of money based upon the products of gold and silver mines of this and other countries, and that product owned and controlled by a few thousand persons, is not class legislation, how can the issue of money based upon the products of 30,000,000 of people be class legislation? No legislation that benefits any class and does no injustice to any other class can be called unjust or class legislation.—AllianceFarmer, Homer, La.

☞ Wiseman for dress goods

JUST FOR DEVILMENT,

Suppose a voter's ballot is bought for $5 in hard Tammany money. Is his voting the ticket an all-sufficient test of his democracy under such circumstances? We ask just for devilment.—Dallas News.

☞ Wiseman for hats.

THE IMMORTAL CLAY.

"Ye Cannot Slumber There; Your Own Proud Land's Heroic Soil Shall Be Your Fitter Grave."

VINY, TEX., Oct. 14, 1891.

Editor The Democrat.

"Vincet amo Patnae," was the inscription upon the medals awarded the three patriots who effected the capture of Maj. Andrie during the war of the Revolution—and we are taught that love of country should never be allowed to weaken or grow less. Then can we fully evince that love when we fail to cherish with a sacred care the memory of those men who by the work of their lives have contributed to her welfare, and swelled the volume of her history. Among the long list of illustrious names that adorn the pages of Kentucky's history, conspicuous from all others we find the name of Henry Clay. A son by "choice of manhood rather than by chance of birth," yet he loved her with a tender devotion that time or change could never shake or under mine. After serving her in the councils of our country for 50 years, worn out in her service when he fell with the armor on at our nation's capital, Kentucky exclaimed, "Ye cannot slumber there; your own proud land's heroic soil shall be your fitter grave." With a mother's care she had his remains brought back to the scene of the struggles of his early manhood and, in one of her most beautiful spots the in "city of the dead" in Lexington in the presence of the largest crowd ever assembled within her borders upon a similar occasion tenderly laid them away and over them she erected a magnificent monument, not to tell positively of his fame, for that like "Homer's will ever travel with the stars;" not to perpetuate his deeds, for they are inscribed in the hearts of the people, but simply as a last offering of love from a partial mother to the memory of a great and worthy son, standing there to day, with its towering heights, reaching far toward the bending heavens, surrounded by the graves of the eloquent Preston, the gallant young Hugh McKee, who lost his life in an effort to place our country's flag upon a fortification in Carea; the eminent and loved physicians, Dudley and Bell; the great jurist, Robertson; the cavalier, Morgan; the lamented Hanson and immortal Breckenridge, impressing upon the minds of the young and ambitious the truth that the "Love of country conquers," and that birth is not a passport or poverty a bar to position or enduring fame, and to those interested let me say with emphasis and without fear of successful contradiction, that at the time of the Missouri agitation Clay was not in the senate, but in the house of representatives: that he stood like a rock between the surging waves of party passion, hurling his thunderbolt of elequence against every measure offered that tended to dismember the country or divide the people, and it was by his diplomacy and untiring effort the storm was allayed, and a question that shook our country from centre to circumference was settle forever.

In conclusion I will also affirm that history does "teach it that way." In reply to a question, "Was he a member of a church?" I will add he was a member of the Episcopal church, and on Saturday, July 10, 1852, funeral services were held over his remains by Rev. Edward F. Berkley of the Episcopal church.

Respectfully, CAESAR.

Superior Courts.

TYLER, Tex., Oct. 14.—In the court of appeals the following cases were disposed of:

Affirmed: Jones vs. the state, from Cherokee; May vs. the state, from Gregg; Price vs. the state, from Red River; ex parte Hopkins, from Travis; ex parte Brown, from Smith.

Appeals dismissed: Chambers vs. the state, from Henderson; Hunter vs. the state from Anderson.

Rehearing refused: Bailey et al. vs. Knight et al., from Wood; Marquez vs. the state, from El Paso.

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Dr. E. LEE BURTON

Physician, Surgeon and Specialist,

Has permanently located at McKinney, Office over Wiseman Store, N. E. Corner of Square.

He is a member of the Alumni Association of the Kentucky School of Medicine.

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He guarantees a certain and positive cure for all curable diseases.

Organic weakness, loss of power, general debility and nervous prostration speedily, completely and permanently cured.

Private blood and skin diseases treated strictly confidential and a cure guaranteed.

Diseases of the eye treated in the most scientific manner.

Cross eyes straightened in a few minutes, and all acute, sub-acute and ceronic eye troubles guaranteed cured.

Catarrh, in its most aggravated form, treated with success and all nose and throat troubles positively cured.

Piles, fistula and rectal ulcers guaranteed cured, with but little or no detention from business.

Hydrocele and Varicocele permanently and successfully treated in every case.

Syphilis, Gonorrhea, Gleet and Stricture a cure guaranteed.

All female troubles treated in a successful and scientific manner.

All correspondence strictly confidential, but cannot treat patients at a distance as it is necessary to see every case in order to successfully treat them.

TESTIMONIALS.

Mrs. E. Hunter, Cor. Main and St. Paul Sts., Dallas, Texas says: A peculiar growth made its appearance in my throat six years ago; it gave me great pain and increased in size until I feared I would lose my life. I was treated by Dr. Burton and in 14 days was sound and well.

Rockwall, Texas, Sept. 10, 1890.—Mrs. Anna parsons says, suffered with piles for eighteen years; my health failed and was a complete wreck; in four weeks after I was treated by Dr Burton I was entirely well and have gained sixteen pounds and have remained well to this day.

Five hundred of the best people in Rockwall and Dallas counties as references.

Shooting Match.

Last Friday morning, seeing a private party of persons starting out for the Fair ground to try some rifles, a DEMOCRAT reporter fell in ranks, also to see the fun.

Canada Jim (Jim Waters) with Turner Emerson's winchester, did most of the shooting. The wing targets that Mr. Waters mostly shot, were brickbats, tin cans, round pebbles, cotton bolls and green cotton seeds.

When he commenced shooting he said, "understand, these are strange guns to me, and never shot them before, so that you can't expect me to do as good shooting as if I'd have my own."

The brickbats he'd shatter the first shot with all ease. The tincans he'd hit once before they'd fall to the ground without any trouble, but shooting them more than once before they'd fall he didn't do well. He said the guns didn't work well to shoot the second shot—that there was a catch in the lever, owing to not being oiled or something, so that he could not get them off when he wanted to. Besides the wind was so high that the cans would be driven way on a side as soon as pitched up. But he shot under a tincan without sight (bow and arrow fashion) and knocked it up, not more than about two feet, and then throwed the gun to his face and shot it again before it hit the ground. This was all very quickly done—all done nearly in a flash. If it wouldn't be for the philosophy of the thing, I'd say it was all feigned. The facts of the case are, the first shot knocked it about two feet, where it could be plainly seen; and if nothing else would have been done to it, it would merely have fallen to the ground. But, as it started falling to the ground, and at the crack of the second shot, it was again knocked onward anew—the bullet holes were there to show for themselves. He says sometimes, owing to the condition of the ground or something he can knock cans up ten or fifteen feet by shooting under them.

Shortly after he commenced shooting, he shot at green cotton bolls and missed nearly every time, (but on purpose, as it proved to be) for afterwards he hit every one.

The last wing shooting he did he pitched up a cartridge hull and shot third of it away the first shot. Then he pitched up three cotton seeds, one after another, and shot two out of three of them, and one gentleman says he shot the end off of the other one.

He turned the guns over to the balance to try them. At this time a man sat a quart can on a post, off about 40 yards, when Mr. Waters threw a dollar on the ground and made the expression, "I am no gambler, but for the fun of the thing, I'll bet a dollar a shot that there isn't a man in the crowd that can knock it down or hit it." It just appeared to us that any one who could shoot a rifle at all, ought to hit it nearly every shot. But there wasn't a man that would take him up. We must say that we actually believe they shot 8 or 10 shots before ever it was hit, which was done so by Mr. Jno. Witt. For Mr. Waters to make such a move as that, simply showed us, that, when it comes to shooting, he knows what he is about.

To wind up the shooting, Mr. Waters made the proposal that he would set four brickbats off a ways, and go the treats that he could hit more of them without sight (bow and arrow fashion) than any one in the crowd by taking sight. Mr. Witt said he'd do that by him, paring them off 25 or 30 yards. Mr. Waters accepted. They both shot their rounds. The balance decided that Mr. Waters done the closest shooting, who consequently won the treats.

A Card of Thanks.

ENGLEMAN, Tex., Oct. 12, '91.

Editor Democrat:

Please allow us to express, through your columns, our sincere thanks to the following named persons of your town who showed us kindness during our late stay among them undergoing surgical treatment: Mr. and Mrs. Giles McKinney, who gave us lodging and the very best treatment, Mrs. Crome and daughters, visits and nicely cooked birds; Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Becks, encouraging visits, birds and squirrels well savored, and literature by Mrs. Beck; Mr. Tuck Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lewis' visits and favors; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crouch's, visits and nice cake; Mr. and Mrs Keen's visits and edibles suitable for a sick man; Mr. and Mrs. Cable, Rev. Jno. McKinney and wife, Rev. Mr. Prichett, Mrs. McIntosh and city Marshal Burk's visits.

For kindness, for attention to strangers, for faithfulness to the sick, the people of McKinney are undoubtedly without a peer.

They treated us so well that we may appropriately quote of them from Horace:

"Serus in caelum redeas."

ISAAC A. ARMSTRONG.

A San Antonio Suicide.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 14.—Marshal L. McGhee, a young man who came here about three months ago from Owensboro, Ky., committed suicide tonight by drinking a pint of laudanum. He leaves a wife. The cause is not given.

If you feel weak and all worn out take Brown's Iron Bitters

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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Going south,	No. 2	6:00 a. m.
" "	No. 4	4:48 p. m.
" "	No. 14	9:10 p. m.
Going north,	No. 3	9:04 a. m.
" "	No. 1	8:46 p. m.
" "	No. 13	6:10 a. m

M. K. & T.

Arrives at	12:40 p. m.
Leaves at	1:45 p. m.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p m. Rev. J. S. Weaver, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. ——— superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

METHODIST.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m and 7:15 p m., Rev. J. A. Stafford, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:45 a. m. ——— superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7: 0.

CHRISTIAN.

Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Elder Pritchett, pastor. Sunday school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. P. Harris, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

BAPTIST.

Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. C. Perry, superintendent.

LOCAL NEWS.

☞Wiseman for blankets.

Has the artesian well froze over?

Tweed Jones was in the city this week.

And still the subscribers come rolling in!

Read Barkley & Harris' "ad" on our front page.

Mack Shirley of Melissa was in the city Sunday.

T. G. Boorman subscribed for our paper this week.

Arthur Lawrence, of Bois d' Arc, was in the city today.

The new awning on East Louisiana street is finished.

We did some fine job work for a firm in Dallas this week.

W. T. Hale, of Rowlett neighborhood, graced our sanctum today.

S. L. Bradshaw, of Anna, subscribed for THE DEMOCRAT last Monday.

LOST:—An artesian well committe. Report to the city of McKinney.

John Yarnall of Rock Hill renewed for THE DEMOCRAT last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. Parker, of Parker, Texas, was in McKinney last Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Biggs, of Lucas, Tex., were in the city Tuesday shopping.

W. R. Todd of Princeton favored us by subscribing for the DEMOCRAT yesterday.

Ike Mooreland, a prominent citizen of Altoga, gave us a pleasant call Monday.

R. G. Welch, one of our faithful subscribers renewed for THE DEMOCRAT last Monday.

G. O. Cate of Altoga handed us some "filthy lucre" last week for THE DEMOCRAT.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burch are visiting friends and relatives in the country this week.

H. J. Lockhart, of Parker, this county left this week to study medicine at Louisville, Ky.

Cattle are going at a low price. Marshal Burks sold a yearling out of the stray pen for $2.45.

Jas. K. Rudolph, who has been playing in the band for the Gainesville fair returned home Sunday.

Dr. T. W. Wiley will have three horses at the Dallas fair namely: Ferdinand, Gabette and Anvil 1st.

We are glad to see Mr. J. M. Wilcox on our streets this week. He has been away some time in search of health.

J. B. Howell, the hustling agent of the New York Life, of Van Alstyne was in the city this week.

Mr. N. M. A. Withrow and lady, of Augusta, Kansas, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Page, on College Hill.

Mr. S. Cleaver authorizes us to place him on our list this week. Mr. Cleaver will leave soon for a visit to Indiana.

Our Methodist minister got kissed last Tuesday night by a hypnotized subject of Prof. Canady at the court house.

Mrs. John Ingram, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Rockdale, Tex, for the past month, returned home last Friday.

We were shown a huge beet raised by James Forsyth, a blacksmith of this city. It weighes 14 pounds. Who can "beet" this?

Miss Sallie Hardin, of Farmersville, attended the examination for teachers certificate here last Thursday and returned home Saturday.

E. D. Bonnar, Jas. H. Marriott and J. L. Anderson called on us yesterday and renewed for the DEMOCRAT. Thanks, gentlemen; call again.

Miss Mabel Looney, the 5th grade teacher of the public school of this city, visited her parents in Farmersville last Saturday and Sunday.

Ye editor has gone to the country today. If he gets lost in the woods will some one please bell him and send him home.

Campbell Wilmeth of Snyder, Scurry county, and a former Collin county boy is in our midst shaking hands with relatives and friends.

John Jenkins was accidently hit on the chin by a piece of machinery at the Gerrish gin last Saturday. The wound was painful but not dangerous.

F. T. Cook has returned from an extended tour through Hunt, Delta, Fannin and Grayson counties, as representative of the New York Life.

Oklahoma would make a fine officer, judging from the way he handled big, fat men at the court house last Tuesday night while in a hypnotized state.

Mr. W. S. Noland and family from near Lebanon, Tenn., has just arrived and will locate here. Mr. Noland is a nephew of our townsman Capt. J. S. Dowell.

The hipnotism exhibit at the courthouse last night was largely attended. Some strange scenes were witnessed which causes considerable comment pro and con.

L. H. Searcy kindly remembered the editor today, and poured a few shining wheels into the editor's coffer. Many thanks. To others: O, ye, "go and do likewise."

J. H. Rosencrans, State S. S. evangelist, at the Christian church tonight, Friday night, Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Subject for tonight, "Scriptural Difficulties."

Rev. Gribble will preach at White's Grove next Saturday night. Subject:—What is baptism. On Sunday following at 11 a. m. he will preach on the subject:—The mode of baptism.

☞Wiseman, wedding suits

We have gone into winter quarters. Our house has just been remodeled and we are more able to entertain our visitors. By the way we need some wood to protect us from the chilly blasts of winter.

E. M. Cox, of Gray Bill, gave us a pleasant call today, and left some of the "filthy lucre" with us, on subscription. Mr. Cox informs us he expects to go to Oklahoma soon. We regret to lose him, but wish him success wherever he goes.

The county court has been in session this week. Many cases were disposed of. The young bloods who recently passed their time in shooting into school houses and other meanness were compelled to pay "the fiddler."

We are informed that the Baptist church, of McKinney, has a splendid choir under the leadership of Mr. Robt. Ray and is furnishing fine music. Those who love good music will be highly entertained by attending the services at that church.

Mr. Robt. Thompson, brother of Mr. F. M. Thompson, has decided to locate in McKinney and practice his profession, law. He is formerly of Athens, Tennessee. THE DEMOCRAT welcomes him in our midst and wishes him abundant success in his new field of labor.

☞Wiseman for millinery.

Last Tuesday a horse was hitched to our back gate by a rope, when it became frightened and pulled back. The gate suddenly took a notion to follow the horse and for a time things were pretty livel.

Moral.—We need more hitching racks.

The other day a little boy was arraignedbefore the county court, charged with stealing chickens. The county attorney on observing the youthful and innocent expression of the little fellow pronounced him "not guilty" upon the latter's promising to do better in the future. We trust the lesson will prove beneficial and that the little fellow will grow up to be an honest and useful citizen.

We are glad to note that Mr. S. T. Hammond has located on East Loisiane street as proprietor of a first-class restaurant. Mr. Hammond is from Frankford, in the southwest part of the county, where he has been engaged in general merchandizing for sixteen years. As an honest, obliging business man he bears a good reputation and we bespeak for him success.

Rev. G. S. Gibbs, Episcopalian, will preach at the court house next Sunday. We learn from W. M. Abernathy that a fund will be raised at once to build a church at McKinney. We believe an Episcopal church would be of advantage to McKinney in as much as many people who are seeking a location are of that religious faith.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and others affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malaria fevers.—For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction is guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle at E. N. McAulay & Bro. Drug Store.

East Texas Press Association.

NACOGDOCHES, Tex, Oct. 14.—About twenty editors of the East Texas weekly papers assembled here today and organized the East Texas press association with Mr. William Imboden of the Cherokee Herald in the chair. A movement was started to build a monument to Thomas J. Rusk. None but those holding proprietary interests in newspapers are eligible to membership.

A Wonder Worker.

Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is today enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at E. N. McAulay & Bro. Drug Store.

Collin County Alliance

The Collin county alliance meets the 21st, a week from yesterday. It promises to be an unusually interesting meeting, and it is hoped every delegate will go prepared to stay until it closes. The alliance of Collin has made satisfactory progress the last few years and the present united condition is evidence of the earnestness of its members. Every effort has been put forth to disparage them in their noble work; every scheme conceivable will still be resorted to in order to bring about a disruption in its ranks, but they will fail—they must fail, because the work of the alliance is the hope of America and the establishment of justice in our legislative halls. Every alliance man should and does feel proud of the order. They know its noble calling, and there burns within each heart patriotic fires that will hold them to the grand principles n[illegible]. And they propose to remain united until the bright banner is planted upon the hills of America's free republic. Let every brother bring some greeting that will aid in swelling that brotherly love and unity of action which will bear our order on to a glorious victory. Love for right; love for truth, love for our American government should inspire us all to noble deeds in this grand work. We love our order and each other because we are assured of its right, and so loving it we will toil on, hoping, watching, anticipating, expecting the full accomplishment of alliance principles. As an hunble member and worker of this great order, I greet you with heart and hand.

GRAHAM ALBRIGHT,
County Secretary.

A Husband's Mistake.

Husband too often permit wives, and parents their children to suffer from headache, dizziness, neuralgia, sleeplessness, fits, nervousness; when by the use of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine such servies results could easily be prevented. Druggists everywhere say it gives uniuersal satisfaction, and has an immense sale. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind; Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; J C. Wolf, of Hillsdale, Mich.; and hundreds of others say, "It is the greatest seller they ever knew." It contains no opiates. Trial bottles and fine book on Nervous Disease free at Smith Bros. Drug Store.

The People's Forum (Canton O.,) has discovered that—

Protection protects the wrong man. Witness the wealth of Carnegie, Rockefeller, et al., and the pittance paid their laborers who produce their wealth.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Fgs, as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

If People would take the advice of Bristol Bros. the druggist they never would start on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take.

A Kentucky Killing.

OWENTON, KY., Oct. 13.—Dr. J. L. Massie shot and killed Jesse Hanover, a farmer, because the latter had been talking about him. He asked Hanover why he had lied about him, when Hanover replied he could prove everything he had said, whereupon Massie shot him dead and escaped.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning? The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, consumption. Ask yourself if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Bristol Bros.

From the Daily Canton Bulletin.

Sam Klein, of Dallas, is in the city.

The band boys will soon be ready to get their uniforms.

Plano's public school opened Monday morning with 136 attendants.

Col. E. R. Rudolph, foreman of the Examiner, will leave tomorrow evening for Jackson, Miss., on a business trip.

The ladies of the Methodist church gave a supper Tuesday night and dinner Wednesday in the Markham building. Owing to the unfavorable weather and other entertainments in the city, the supper was not as well attended as it otherwise would have been. Yet with all the disadvantages the net receipts are $75 00.

Mr. James Rudolph will fill the foreman's position in the Examiner office during the absence of Col. E. K. Rudolph.

The C. L. S. C. were entertained on last Saturday by Miss Sallie Battle. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with the following programme: Roll call was responded to by leading facts in law. The circle was then favored by a recitation from Miss Battle, whose elocutionary abilities are too well known to need further comment here. The lessons under the instruction of Mrs. Church were exceptionally good, showing deep thought on the topics of the week's reading. Map study was made very interesting and instructive by Mrs. Akins, Mrs. Greer, Miss Foreman and Miss McAulay. On adjournment, Miss Sallie served her guests with all kinds of tropical fruits, which were much enjoyed by all. The circle will meet next Saturday with Mrs. T. Emerson.

The Secret of Success.

Smith Bros. our well known druggists, believe that the secret of success is perseverance. Therefore they persist in keeping the finest line of perfumeries, toilet articles, cosmetics, drugs and chemicals on the market. They especially invite all persons who have palpitation, short breath, weak or hungry spells, pain in side or shoulder, oppression, night mare, dry cough, smothering, dropsy, or heart disease to try Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, before it is too late, It has the largest sale of any similar remedy. Fine books of testimonials free. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is unsurpassed for sleeplessness, headache, fits, etc., and it contains no opiates.

Alliance Delegates.

Delegates going to Snow Hill by railway will be met at Farmersville by a committee with conveyance. Delegates will meet at the J. P. office at Farmersville.

The lady who imported a Peruvian dog for the sake of his Peruvian bark to cure the chills has never heard of Cheatham's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It cures the chills any where and somehow and all it costs is 50 and 75 cents per bottle. Guaranteed.

Released on $1000 Bond.

GREENVILLE, Tex., Oct. 14.—The preliminary trial of Lee Kennedy, charged with conspiracy to murder Deputy Sheriff, Nichols, was concluded today and Kennedy's bond fixed at $1000. He readily made the bond and was released. The man Cornett who claims to have been hired by Kennedy to kill Nichols is still in jail.

Mr. C. Jones, of Spring Hill, Iowa says: "I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for severe and painful burns with better effect than anything else I have ever tried. It relieves the pain instantly and cures without leaving a scar." Pain Balm is one of the most useful medicines that any family can be provided with, especially for rheumatism, lame back, sprains, bruises, tooth ache, ear ache and like ailments. One application will relieve the pain and a fair trial insure a cure. 50 cent bottles for sale by Bristol Bros.

Baby Prodigy.

RAVENNA, Fannin Co., Tex, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Geo. Bouchner of this place had born to her on the 11th instant a boy baby weighing 15 1-4 pounds, the largest child at birth born in the United States. Mother and child doing well.

What is more discouraging or debilitating than a bad case of chills? Nothing. Why then, mope around all summer, when a bottle of Cheatham is Tasteless Chill Tonic will cure you? It never fails. Put up in 50 and 75 cent bottles, and guaranteed.

Married in the Road.

Quite a romantic wedding took place last Sunday evening near Liberty church, north of McKinney.

Rev. W. C. Wilson, recently from Illinois, was on his way to fill an appointment at the above named church, when he met a jolly crowd of young folks in a wagon, among whom were Mr. G. W. Putnam and Miss Mary Cole The minister was halted and informed that the parties named above had license to wed, and that he was expected to tie the knot "in the middle of the road." This caused some excitement to the Illinois minister who did not expect to be "held up" so soon on the public highway of Texas by cupid and his bow. He was not long, however, in regaining his nerve and while the evening sun approached the western horizon, and its golden rays fell upon merry faces, the marriage pledge fell softly and lovingly upon the evening breeze and was wafted to the throne above.

THE DEMOCRAT extends greetings and wish for the happy pair a future filled with joy.

We want every mother to know that the croup can be prevented. True croup never appears without warning. The first symptom is hoarseness; then the child appears to have taken cold or cold may have accompanied the hoarseness from the start. After that a peculiar rough cough is developed, which is followed by the croup. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse; a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will prevent the attack. Even after a rough cough has appeared, the disease may be prevented by using this remedy as directed. For sale by Bristol Bros.

A Serious Accident.

We regret to chronicle the serious accident to Mr. R. M. Crowder, of Engleman. While he was stepping over a transmission shaft at a gin his cloths were caught and completely torn from his body while one of his legs was mangled in such a manner as to necessitate amputation, which was done by Dr. T. W. Wily of McKinney. The collar bone also was broken and at this writing the unfortunate man is not expected to live.

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Remedy.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Cartarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. 24t

Princeton Items.

PRINCETON, Oct. 13, '91.

Editor Democrat.

Our little town is quiet and everything moving along nicely. But the town and country is distressingly healthy for the doctors.

Our prominent merchant Mr. Alma Wilson, of the firm of Sneed & Wilson, has completed his new dwelling house in town and will move in soon.

The writer had the pleasure of attending a nice supper last Saturday night at Mrs. Mead's, given in honor of her son, Jake Mead, who left Sunday for Seven Point college, to attend school this fall and winter. Everybody was made to feel at home and given plenty to eat. After supper was over the young folks engaged in a nice singing. Prof. J. H. Sneed made a nice little talk, in behalf of the young man, Mr. Mead, encouraging him to go a head in his undertaking, after which he read the last chapter of Ephesians, and led in prayer. The writer extends his heartfelt sympathy to the mother while her son is absent and bids the young man go a head and wishes him success.

A FRIEND.

During the three year's Hunt's Cure has been in use it has given the most universal satisfaction as a remedy for all diseases and eruptions of the skin. Ringworms, Tetter, Itch and similar troubles disappear at once under its magic influence 50 cents.

☞New Jewelry at the Nickel Store.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

Moore—Hill.

Last Tuesday night the Christian church was filled to overflowing with relatives and friends of Mr. George L. Moore and Miss Lula Hill, who were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Elder D. W. Pritchett. Garlands of flowers, tenderly woven by loving hands, bedecked the marriage altar and sweet music, furnished by Mrs. J. E. Gibson, floated out upon the evening air already laden with the richest perfume.

We can say no more than to wish for the happy pair a future filled with the just reward of well spent lives and at the end may they enter the great beyond and bask in the sunshine of eternal joy—where flowers and music never fade!

A Woman Assassinated.

WINSBORO, Tex., Oct. 14.—Yesterday afternoon a horrible murder was committed just two miles north of this place in the adjoining county of Franklin. Mrs. Casey, an old lady of some 55 years of age, lives on a farm with one son. She got dinner for him and a hired man and after eating they proceeded to the field where they were gathering corn. On returning about 3 o'clock the mother was missed and still later on had not returned. The son proceeded to a neighbor's to look for his mother. He did not find her and remained all night with that neighbor, thinking she might be at another neighbor's house, and never dreaming of the cruel fate that had overtaken her. This morning he went home and Mrs. Casey still being absent, he began to search for her with the aid of a few others and finally looking through a crack in the smoke house he discovered his mother lying across a box dead. Willing hands, with the aid of an ax, soon had the door down. A sight all too ghastly and horrifying met their gaze. The assassin had done a fearful work. Her throat was cut, the head almost severed from the body and she was otherwise cut and stabbed in fully twenty places. The assassin had robbed her of $4.80. Signs of a desperate struggle were plainly visible. The ground was torn up, blood was on the walls, in pools on the floor. Everywhere it was a sight horrible and sickening. No arrest. The coroner is proceeding with the inquest.

☞Wiseman for calicoes.

Smith Bros.

Keep on hand fresh drugs, patent medicines of all kinds, Also toilet articles of any description; in fact, everything in the drug line. Call and see them, east side of the square.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, childblains, corns and all skin eruptions and Positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By E N McAULAY and Bro

MARKET REPORT.

Corrected Weekly.

Wheat .75 to .85; corn 38 to 40; cotton 7½ to 8; oats .30 to .36; hay $5.50 to $6 per ton; butter .20; eggs; .12½ to .15; chickens $2.50 to $2.75; cotton seed 10. per bushel.

Notice.

To the Collin county alliance: The next regular meeeting of Collin county alliance will convene with Snow Hill alliance, Oct. 21, '91. Let every sub alliance be represented as matters of importance will be brought before the meeting.

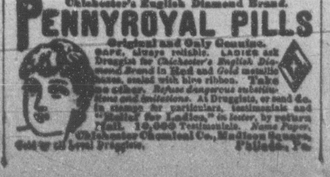
W. W. CHAPMAN,
President.

GRAHAM ALBRIGHT,
County secretary.

To the Business Men.

We desire a liberal share of your job work and if you will give us a trial we will GUARANTEE SATISFACTION both in the quality of work done and the price for the same. We do not propose to BORE you by hanging on to your counters and around your offices, but will highly appreciate any favors you may extend to us.

☞Wiseman for domestic.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PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine.
SAFE. Always reliable. LADIES ask Druggists for Chichester's English Diamond Brand in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse dangerous substitutions and imitations. At Druggists, or send 4c. in stamps for particulars, testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Name Paper. Chichester Chemical Co., Madison Square, Gold by all Local Druggists. PHILADA., PA.

☞Wiseman for fine shirts.

☞Snuff and candy at the Nickel Store.

☞Tooth picks 5 cents a box at the Nickel Store.

☞Wiseman's emporium.

☞Fruit jars and jelly glasses at the Nickel Store.

☞For groceries see Goostree and Foster.

☞Wiseman's hitching racks.

☞Go to R. M. Board when you wish to purchase cotton sacks and ducking.

☞Wiseman for neckware.

☞Glassware and tinware at the Nickel Store.

If you want a scholarship in the best commercial college in North Texas, call at this office.

When you are sleepy, sleep; when you are tired, rest; when hungry, eat; when chilly take Cheatham's Tasteless Chill Tonic and your days in the land will be many. 50 and 75 cents. Guaranteed.

☞Children go to the Nickel Store for pencils and tablets paint boxes and toys.

☞Wiseman, cuffs, colars.

☞New goods at the Nickel Store every day.

☞Ladies call at the Nickel Store for all those little things that are so useful about the house.

☞Wiseman's cheap suits.

☞Goostree & Foster have just opened a new grocery house. Give them a call, next door to J. P. Dowel.

☞A. T. Wilson & Co. requests all who are owing them to come forward and settle.

☞20 car loads furniture at Nale & Dies, all for sale.

NALE & DIES.

☞Fish, oysters, fruits and confectioneries at S. T. Hammond's restaurant, opposite J. P. Dowell's,

☞Wiseman for overcoats.

☞When in the city don't fail to call on Goostree & Foster for fresh groceries at a bargain.

☞Elegant line of gents' work wear at The Mississippi Store.

☞R, M. Board has on hand a large stock of cotton sacks and ducking. Farmers are requested to call at his store before purchasing.

☞Wiseman's corner.

☞The largest and finest line of white shirts just in at The Mississippi Store.

☞If you wish a good square meal or lunch call on S. T. Hammond, opposite J. P. Dowell's hardware store.

☞Nale & Dies will exchange new for second hand cook stoves, as we have a second-hand store on La. street to handle them.

☞R. C. Knott, blacksmith, requests us to state that his accounts are due and all those who owe him are urgently requested to settle at once.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Pills speedly cure billousness bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequal for men, women, children. Smallest mildest, surest! 50 doses, 25 cts. Sample Free, at Smith Bros. Drug Store.

Farms For Sale.

I have many choice small farms, from 35 to 100 acres, also some large improved places, containing 300 to 400 acres, which I will sell at reasonable figures, on easy terms.

AARON COFFEE,

Real estate and Insurance agent, with DeArmond and Church.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for catarrh diphtheria, canker mouth and headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Bristol Bros.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment.

A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. It is put up in 25 and 50 cent boxes.

BRISTOL BROS.,
Druggist.

FOR DYSPEPSIA,

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Is an effective remedy, as numerous testimonials conclusively prove. "For two years I was a constant sufferer from dyspepsia and liver complaint. I doctored a long time and the medicines prescribed, in nearly every case, only aggravated the disease. An apothecary advised me to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I did so, and was cured at a cost of $5. Since that time it has been my family medicine, and sickness has become a stranger to our household. I believe it to be the best medicine on earth." —P. F. McNulty, Hosiernan, 29 Summer st., Lowell, Mass.

FOR DEBILITY,

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Is a certain cure, when the complaint originates in impoverished blood. "I was a great sufferer from a low condition of the blood and general debility, becoming finally so reduced that I was unfit for work. Nothing that I did for the complaint helped me so much as Ayer's Sarsaparilla, a few bottles of which restored me to health and strength. I take every opportunity to recommend this medicine in similar cases." —C. Evick, 14 E. Main st., Chillicothe, Ohio.

FOR ERUPTIONS

And all disorders originating in impurity of the blood, such as boils, carbuncles, pimples, blotches, salt-rheum, scald-head, scrofulous sores, and the like, take only

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

PREPARED BY

DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

Price $1; six bottles, $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

What is Good.

"What is the real good,"
I ask in musing mood.

"Order," said the law court;
"Knowledge," said the school:
"Truth," said the wise man;
"Pleasure," said the fool;
"Love," said the maiden;
"Beauty," said the page;
"Freedom," said the dreamer;
"Home," said the sage;
"Fame," said the soldier;
"Equity," the seer.

"Spake my heart full sadly;—
"The answer is not here."
Then within my bosom!
Softly this I heard:—
"Each heart holds the secret:
"Kindness," is the word."

The Florida Horticultural Society has asked for three acres in which to show an orange grove and make a fruit display.

Brethren, alliance men, stand by your own people and don't give aid or comfort to those who are seeking your destruction and enslavement.

When the Japanese hitch a horse in the street they do so by tying his fore legs together. Hitching posts are never used in Japan or Corea except by foreigners.—Ex.

Indiana will have a $100,000 building at the Fair. It will not cost that much, however, as a large share of the materials, all of which will come from that state, will be donated.

It is expected that there will be fully 3,000 dogs entered in the Exposition bench show. The various kennel clubs propose to supplement the already satisfactor premium list by a number of very handsome medals.

Food has much to do with the edible qualities of the product of the poultry yard, and if we feed our laying hens large quantities of onions they will lay a poorly or strongly flavored egg.

The like of the weather of the past month in this part of the country has not been recorded since 1840. In New England a number of springs and wells are dry that were never dry before.—New York Sun.

Either build new quarters for your fowls or completely renovate the old ones, since there is nothing that has so much influence on the egg product of winter as the kind of building with which poultry is provided.

The general passenger agents of twenty of the railroads entering Chicago have organized a special association for the determination of excursion rates to the Exposition and for arranging facilities for caring for the enormous crowds of visitors to the World's Fair.

A 3 year-old child in Lewiston, Me., babbles in three languages—French, Swedish and English. Her father is French and her mother is a Swede. She picked up English from customers in her father's fruit store.

That Mr. Cleveland's thoughts persistently reverted to a certain mile of humanity up town was evident yesterday, for after a brief stay at the office he gathered up his papers and announced that he would finish his work of the day at home.—New York Herald.

Ex-Senator Ingalls has doffed the rustic attire in which he used to be clad when he drove into town from his potato patch. While he waited in a station at Kansas City for a train the other day he wore his historic tightly buttoned Prince Albert coat, with a pair of highly colored trousers.

When selecting your eggs for market pick out those of even size and color, leaving the small and discolored ones at home for use, and your eggs will look nicer and sell better than if mixed up altogether. Who does not like to see a basket of nice, even sized, white or brown eggs?

"George," said the proprietor, "what has happened to the opposition store across the street? Yesterday it was the smartest rival I possessed. Today it is all broken up and demoralized, and all the business comes this way. I cannot understand it at all."

"Father," replied the advertising manager, "I cannot tell a lie; I did it with my little ad!" (Origin lost in mists of antiquity.)

T. B. R.

October 30 will be "World's Fair Day" at the Texas state fair at Dallas. On that day every one who owns stock in the Texas World's Fair Association will be admitted free to the fair, and the Association will try to have every visitor buy some of the stock. Texas is trying to raise a World's Fair fund of $300,000 and has already made most encouraging progress. One hundred and sixty seven counties in Texas have organized for World's Fair work by choosing committees, etc.

The Fort Worth Gazette says that ex-Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, will make a lecturing tour through Texas, beginning about Nov. 1, 1891. It will be remembered by Texans that Mr. Ingalls recently made a lecturing tour through Georgia, upon the invitation of the plutocracy of that state. When Ingalls comes, then the people of Texas will see how the Texas politicians press genius him. They will not forget how the parasite press spoke of ex-Gov. Peffer, who recently delivered a few lectures in Texas. The people should remember that Ingalls framed most of the infamous legislation which has made the name of Kansas, disfranchising confederate officers, and the infamous Ingalls-Peffer and the alliance of Kansas, that law was repealed. By watching closely the comments on Mr. Ingalls, the people will learn that plutocracy is a unit in trying to down the people and perpetuate the rule of plutocracy.—Mercury.

Big Alliance Mass Meeting.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 12.—At Mount Comfort the alliance members of northwest Arkansas held a big mass meeting today, the attendance being the largest ever known at any gathering of a political character ever held in the state. Prof. Vincent and other alliance speakers from Kansas and elsewhere addressed the meeting. United States Senators Berry and Jones and Congressman Peel represented the democratic side in the discussion, which embraced the Ocala demands, sub-treasury scheme, tariff and free silver coinage.

The Famine in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 9.—The prices of food are rapidly rising throughout the empire. It is reported here from Warsaw that the cost of provisions there has of late been doubled. The members of the Red Cross society are collecting money for a fund to relieve the famishing people. They are carrying on similar operations in Odessa and all the large towns in the south, but are meeting with little response to their appeal for charity, owing to the utter stagnation of commerce which prevails throughout the country.

The Omaha Lynchers.

OMAHA, Oct. 12.—The preliminary hearing of the seven lynchers charged with the murder of Coe, the negro rape fiend, which was set for this afternoon, has been postponed until next Monday. All of the men have been released on bail, except three men who have apparently no friends. It is announced by the prosecuting attorney that he will push the cases for all they are worth.

Snap Shots.

[Dallas News.]

If beer and a brass horn will not burst a big man wide open then you just can't do it.

When you get drunk and tell a lie about it the best thing to do is to acknowledge the corn.

Appearances are the most deceptive things in the world and still they are about all we have to go by.

The cheap boarding house plan means "five minutes for dinner."

Premature flannels now make the fat man as hot as old Harry Scratch.

One of the worst ways to tell a lie is to tell it in print.

You cannot rub out your own tracks.

Even the winter brings with it some blessings. The stylish young man will now have a set of summer neckties to put in soak.

No task is easy to the moral who has not had something more difficult to do.

If bad habits could possibly rid themselves of some worthless fellows there is no doubt they would gladly do so.

There are too few judgments and too many opinions in this world.

First New Sugar.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 9.—The first new sugar, sixty barrels, consigned to Dugas & Co., was received here on the steamboat Paul Fuhre this morning from J. W. Doherty & Co.'s Westover plantation, West Baton Rouge parish. It will be weighed and inspected this evening for bounty.

William Evans' Shortage.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 12.—The amount of the shortage in the accounts of William Evans, secretary of the Morse Wool company, is $60,000.

Omaha's Mob.

OMAHA, Oct. 12.—The mob of Kansas and Missourians and a few Indians have rescued the Dalton gang in the western part of the Creek reservation. They captured supplies and started them to their rendezvous. The Daltons sent a note to Marshal Thomas that their position is impregnable and they will kill every man attempting their capture.

Child Burned to Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—Three children named Fornandez, were locked in a room by an elder sister who went out to play, knocked over a lamp and fired the house. All were rescued and the other burned to death.

Teacher—"Keep your hand down, John Billings; when I am ready I will call upon you. (Ten minutes later.) Now, John Billings, I will hear what you have to say." John Billings—"I only wanted to tell you that I sent a trump in a halfway hook yer gold headed umbella."—Puck.

Michigan Alliance.

LANSING, Mich., Oct. 9.—The state farmers' alliance adopted the Ocala platform without a dissenting voice and is in favor of independent political action as defined by the Cincinnati conference.

Melbourne Makes It Rain Again.

GOODLAND, KAN., Oct. 12.—Melbourne not being satisfied with his recent rain experiment at this place began another test Saturday afternoon in a caboose in the Rock Island yards. When Melbourne began operations the weather was warm with no wind nor clouds to be seen. This morning about 8 a drizzling rain began to fall. The hills are covered with clouds and the prospects are that a continuous fall of rain has set in.

On the Beer Question.

PARIS, TEX., Oct. 12.—Judge Bryant today delivered a strong charge to the grand jury on the beer question.

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He who waits

for an inactive liver to do its work, exposes himself to all the diseases that come from tainted blood. Don't wait! Languor and loss of appetite warn you that graver ills are close behind. You can keep them from coming; you can cure them if they've come—with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It's the only blood and liver medicine that's *guaranteed*, in every case, to benefit or cure. Your money back if it doesn't. Thus, you only pay for the good you get. Can you ask more? It cleanses the system and cures pimples, blotches, eruptions and all skin and scalp diseases. Scrofulous affections, as fever-sores, hip-joint disease, swellings and tumors yield to its superior alterative properties.

From Midway.

MIDWAY, Oct. 11, '91.

Editor The Democrat.

Health is good and everybody is in good humor.

The alliance in this part of the moral vineyard is growing fast.

I see in my last week's DEMOCRAT letter from my old friend Gen. Henry E. McCulloch, whom I have tried and found to be true. If he fails to work for "equal rights to all and special privileges to none" there is no use to try any one else in Texas.

All we ask is equal rights and that we must have.

With success for THE DEMOCRAT and its many readers, I remain,

PEWTER BUTTONS.

SUPERIORITY.

Not Equally, but far superior over all other Blood Purifiers

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W. A. Smith, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I was down sick with malarial fever for over a month. The doctor gave me too much calomel and mercury, and when I began to get better I was broken out in sores. My hair fell out, and when I would scratch my head it would come off in handfuls. I thought I would die a miserable life, but an acquaintance got me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which gave me strength and cured my rheumatism, and now I am a nearly straight again and I wish to say more needful."

AND POTASH,

R. B. Wilson, Cairo, Ill., writes: "I experienced for a long time the effects of mercury and potash, which had settled in my bones, causing me much pain. I finally determined to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which would never fail, and very soon I felt better. My hair and eyebrows and whiskers all came out and I took a perfect course of this medicine, but as I had not tried Bull's Sarsaparilla. The use of a few bottles made me well, but there are spots on my body that look like they had been burned."

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Morphine Suicide.

MINEOLA, Tex., Oct. 12.—G. W. Williams of Rockdale suicided here last night by taking twenty grains of morphine. He came here from Rockdale on Friday with a cotton planter, which he placed on exhibition at the fair. He was found in the county boarding house about 6 o'clock Sunday evening and the doctor worked with him until 3 o'clock in the morning when he died. The Knights of Pythias, of which order he was a member, took charge of the remains and will ship the body to Rockdale at his death. They received a message to forward the body there, which was done at 4:30 on the International and Great Northern train. He told some parties that he was going to kill himself, but they thought nothing of his words, and consequently he was not watched.

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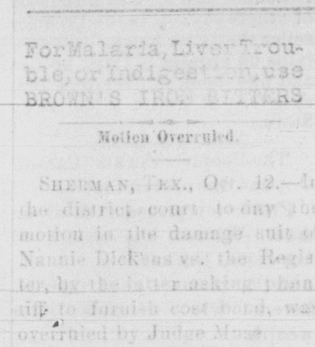
DEEP CITY, TEX., Oct. 12.—At 11 o'clock this morning, while Mr. John Smith was watering his Hereford bull (weight 2,000 pounds,) the animal became infuriated and hooked Mr. Smith in a number of places, got him down, and but for the timely assistance of friends would have killed him. Mr. Smith's injuries, though painful, are not considered serious.



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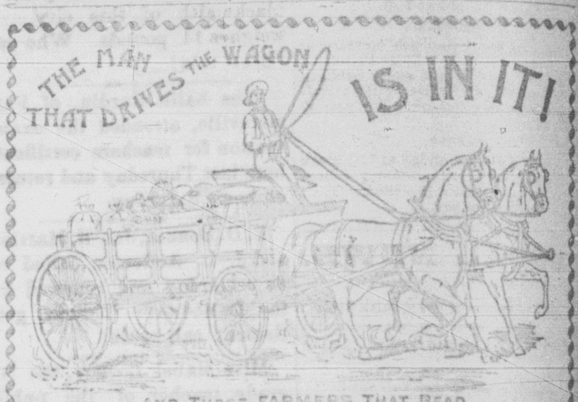

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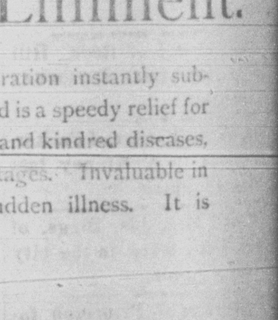

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